SEP 35 5 1990 F

## PADEN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SPRINGER, T. A. et al.

Serial No. 07/456,647

Filed: December 22, 1989

For: INTERCELLULAR ADHESION

MOLECULES, AND THEIR

BINDING LIGANDS

Art Unit:

•

Examiner: (To be Assigned)

Atty Docket: 1011.037004

## LETTER OF EXPRESS ABANDONMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby expressly abandon the above-referenced patent application, but not any invention described and/or claimed therein.

Respectfully submitted,

SAIDMAN, STERNE, KESSLER & GOLDSTEIN

Samuel L. Fox

Attorney for Applicants Registration No. 30,353

Date:

Sept 5, 1990

P.7-BIP37.MBM

SAIDMAN, STERNE,
KESSLER & GOLDSTEIN
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
1225 CONNECTICUT AVENUE
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20036
(202) 466-0800



EDWARD J. KESSLER JORGE A. GOLDSTEIN

DAVID K.S. CORNWELL\*

JOHN D. MITCHELL, JR.\*

SAMUEL L. FOX

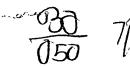
HOLLIE L. BAKER HENRY N. WIXON

JOAN L. DILLON

SCOTT M. ALTER

JANE E. R. POTTER JEFFREY I. AUERBACH

ROBERT W. ESMOND
TRACY-GENE GRAVELINE
STEVEN N. FOX\*
SCOTT HORSTEMEYER\*



AN

## SAIDMAN, STERNE, KESSLER & GOLDSTEIN

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

1225 CONNECTICUT AVENUE WASHINGTON, D.C. 20036

(202) 466-0800

CABLE: PRELEX TELEX: 248636 SSK

TELEFAX: (202) 833-8716 GROUPS I, II & III

BALTIMORE
INNER HARBOR CENTER
400 EAST PRATT STREET, SUITE 800
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21202
(301) 659-7570

September 5, 1990

WRITER'S DIRECT NUMBER:

W. MURRAY SPRUILL
MICHELE A. CIMBALA
DONALD J. FEATHERSTONE
REGISTERED
PATENT AGENTS

BAR OTHER THAN D.C.

The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED

SEP 1 2 1990

APPLICATION DIVISION-402

Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application

Serial No. 07/456,647; Filed: 12/22/89

For: INTERCELLULAR ADHESION MOLECULES, AND THEIR

BINDING LIGANDS

Inventor(s): SPRINGER, T. A. et al.

Our Ref: 1011.0370004

Sir:

The following document is submitted herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Letter of Express Abandonment

It is respectfully requested that the attached postpaid post card be stamped with the date of filing of this document, and that it be returned as soon as possible.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

SAIDMAN, STERNE, KESSLER & GOLDSTEIN

Samuel L. Fox

Attorney for Applicants Registration No. 30,353

SLF/JIA:mbm:agj
Encls.

7-BIP37.201